THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY DRISCOLL, DONATUCCI, MURT, NEILSON, HILL-EVANS AND WARREN, MARCH 14, 2019

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, MARCH 14, 2019

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 12 (Commerce and Trade) of the Pennsylvania
- Consolidated Statutes, in Pennsylvania Industrial Development
- Program, providing for loans to benefit corporations.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Title 12 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 7 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:
- 8 § 3008.1. Loans to benefit corporations.
- 9 (a) Interest rates. -- If the borrower of a loan under section
- 10 3006 (relating to loans for industrial development projects),
- 11 3007 (relating to loans for industrial parks) or 3008 (relating
- 12 to loans for multiple-tenancy building projects) is a benefit
- 13 corporation, the authority shall provide a 1.5% discount on the
- 14 standard interest rate of the loan.
- 15 (b) Eligibility. -- The benefit corporation shall meet all
- 16 eligibility requirements under this chapter.
- 17 (c) Definitions. -- As used in this section, the following
- 18 words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this

- 1 <u>subsection unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:</u>
- 2 <u>"Benefit corporation."</u> As defined in 15 Pa.C.S. § 3302
- 3 <u>(relating to definitions).</u>
- 4 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.